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**RE: Application SN 09/397,325; Filing Date 09/16/1999**  
**For: "Electronically Controlled Method of Composing..."**  
**Group Art Unit 2178**

Sir:

An Amendment filed by facsimile on December 6, 2002, appears to have been misplaced within the Office.

Enclosed is a copy of the Amendment consisting of eight pages. Also enclosed is a copy of the transmission verification from our own facsimile machine. A further enclosure is a copy of the Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission received from the Office.

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S.N. 09/397,325 filed 09/16/99  
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Washington, D. C. 20231 VIA FAX (703) 746-7287

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In response to the office action of November 21, 2002,  
please amend the above-entitled application for patent as  
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Please note that Applicant's Residence Address is:

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**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

On Page 5 of the specification, in Line 14 thereof,  
~~after~~ the words "...wish to reduce the dwell time ..." please  
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